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WHITEAWAY'S

## NO WORD FROM KINGSFORD-SMITH

### VANISHES IN STORM

### RESCUE EFFORTS UNAVAILING

### FEARED PLANE DOWN IN BAY OF BENGAL

(SPECIAL TO "TELEGRAPH")

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Singapore, Nov. 9.

Sir Charles Kingsford-Smith has vanished in a storm over the Bay of Bengal. With his co-pilot, John Pethbridge, the famous Australian ace is lost without trace. He has not answered the frequent attempts of the R.A.F. base at Singapore to communicate with him by radio.

A number of steamers and numerous bombers of the Royal Air Force are searching the Bay of Bengal at the moment. They have no clue as to the likely whereabouts of the lost airmen, except the news from C. J. Melrose, the young Australian aviator who is also on a Australia-England flight, that he saw the flames of Kingsford-Smith's exhaust 150 miles at sea last night.

Kingsford-Smith should have arrived here Friday morning. He was last seen 150 miles from shore, bucking a storm and flying very low.

Despite the fact that he had announced that the trip was to be made in a leisurely fashion, Kingsford-Smith was only two hours behind the time of Scott and Black when he left Allahabad.

#### SHIPS HUNTING

The Dollar liner President Garfield has sent a radio message from the Bay of Bengal to-day:

"No word of Kingsford-Smith around here, but Penang advises that another plane is missing between Allahabad and Singapore."

The President Garfield has been instructed by San Francisco to stand by and keep a close watch for the lost airmen, whose plane is equipped with a Globe radio set similar to the Garfield's.—United Press.

#### "HERMES" TO SEARCH

London, Nov. 8. There is now considerable anxiety for Sir Charles Kingsford Smith, who, with Mr. Pethbridge, left Lympne early on Wednesday morning on a record-breaking flight to Australia. The fliers left Allahabad at six o'clock last evening for Singapore, which they should have reached early this morning.

The Australian aviator, C. J. Melrose, who is engaged on an attempt on an England-Australia solo flight record, reported on arrival at Singapore to-day that he had passed a machine which he believed was Kingsford Smith's over the Bay of Bengal 150 miles from the shore, and he has now abandoned his flight to join in the search for his countrymen.

At a conference of staff officers of the Royal Air Force at Singapore to-night, it was decided to institute an air search for the missing machine at dawn tomorrow. All available short Singapore. Three flying boats, which have range of 3,000 miles, will be used and a squadron of bombers at present at Tainan will be ordered to comb the Malacca coast and adjacent waters.

The aircraft carrier, H.M.S. Hormus, will also play a prominent part in the rescue attempts. Although Kingsford Smith's powerful Lockheed Altair monoplane is fitted with wireless, no distress signals were heard by radio stations during the night.—British Wireless.

### ANGLO-ITALIAN ACCORD

### NAVAL AGREEMENT ALLEGED

### REPORT DENIED BUT REPEATED

London, Nov. 8.

The report of an Anglo-Italian naval pact is officially stated to be baseless.

The report was due to a misunderstanding arising out of the talks of Italian and British naval experts in London, and the conversations between Sir Eric Drummond, the British Ambassador at Rome, and Signor Mussolini.

It is emphasised that the naval experts merely exchanged views concerning the forthcoming naval conference.—Reuter.

#### REPORTS PERSIST

London, Nov. 8. Reliable sources still persist in stating that a dual agreement has been reached by Italian and British naval experts, whereby Britain promises not to raise objections to the construction by Italy of a 35,000-ton battleship.

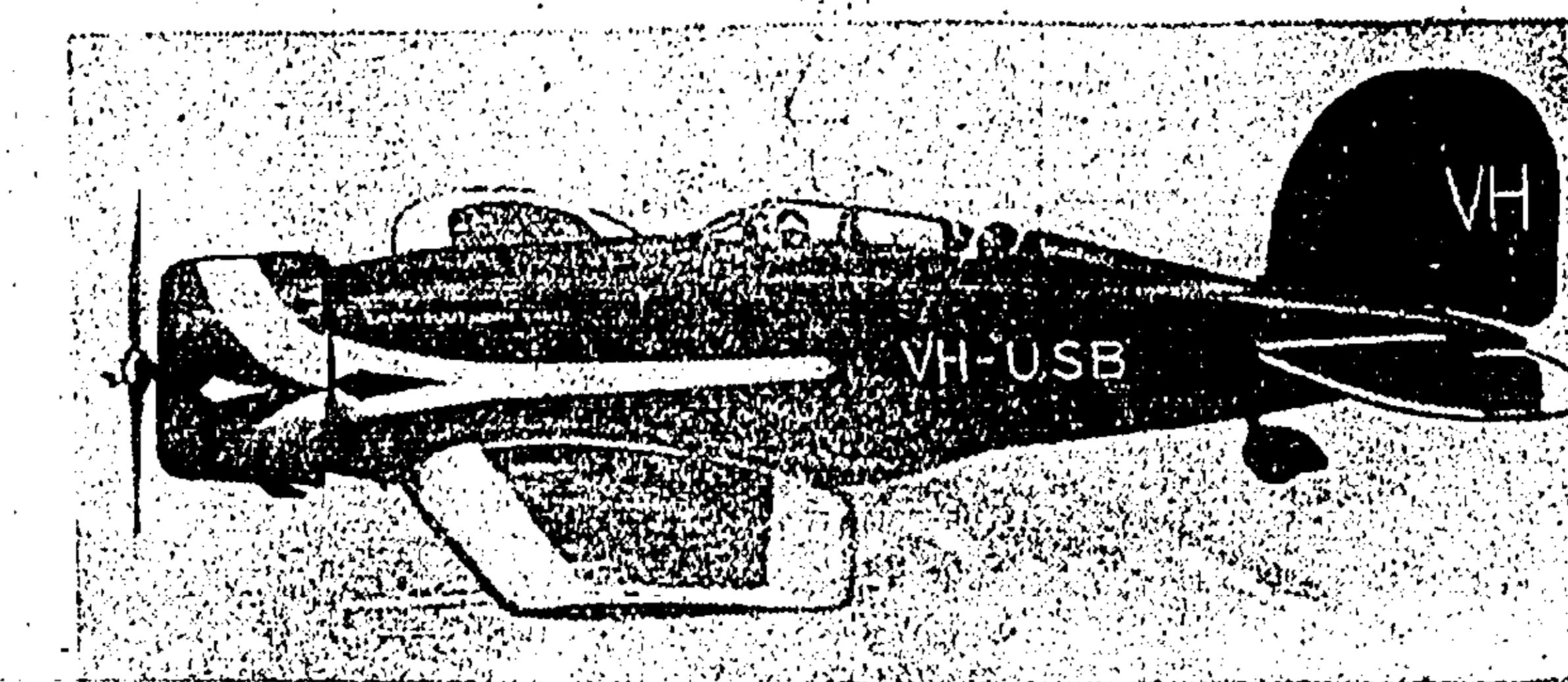
Naval experts feel that this agreement means that Britain has practically abandoned her long campaign for the reduction of gun calibres and the size of capital ships.—United Press.

### STOP PRESS

### INTERPORT CRICKET

At 12.15 p.m., Hongkong had scored 74 for the loss of three wickets. T. E. Pearce was out for 4; T. A. Pearce also for 4, and Madar for 11.

Fincher was 37 not out and Garthwaite 16 not out.



The Lockheed plane in which Sir Charles Kingsford Smith set out on his flight from England to Australia. He is now missing and it is feared that he has met with disaster.

### BRITISH DEMOCRACY ON TRIAL

### BALDWIN APPEALS TO NATION

### DEDICATES HIS LIFE

London, Nov. 8.

"If you will give me this confidence now, I will give you all that is in me during the few years that now can only remain to me at my present age," declared Mr. Stanley Baldwin, Prime Minister, in his final election broadcast from Chequers this evening.

In his speech, Mr. Baldwin urged that a strong and stable Great Britain was the surest guarantee of the happiness and prosperity of its own people and the greatest bulwark to the peace of the world.

"The whole world is watching the election," said the Premier, "because therein democracy is on its trial. It is our duty to show the world that the democracy of Britain could pursue a constant course and be as resolute in will as any dictatorship."—Reuter.

MR. MACDONALD'S FIGHT

London, Nov. 8.

With the end of the series of political broadcast addresses to-night, when the Prime Minister, Mr. Stanley Baldwin, speaks for the National Government, the General Election campaign enters on its last stage. At present, public interest centres on one or two contests in which lending personalities are engaged.

The Prime Minister was returned unopposed, but his colleague and predecessor at the head of the National Government, Mr. Ramsay MacDonald, is involved in what is generally agreed will be a hard fight at the Seaford constituency.

Mr. MacDonald refused to consider a safer seat. He is opposed by Mr. E. Shinwell, Secretary for Mines in the last Labour Government.

As the National Labour candidate, Mr. MacDonald is assured of the unqualified support of the Conservative voters, but the attitude of the Liberals is doubtful. His majority at the last election was just under 6,000 in a total vote of about 52,000.

#### OTHER CONTESTS

The Home Secretary, Sir John Simon, has represented Spen Valley since 1922. His majority at the last election was just over 4,000, and Labour, which won the seat in 1919, is making a determined attack. The large Liberal element in the constituency which supported him as a Liberal National candidate last time, may be more divided on this occasion on the 'turf' issue.

The Liberal opposition leader, Sir Herbert Samuel, is under fire to-day both Conservative and Labour opponents. In Darwen, he had a majority of over 4,000 as a supporter of the National Government in the last election, although he was opposed by an unofficial Conservative who polled heavily.

At East Bristol, the Socialist leader, Sir Stafford Cripps, who recently resigned from the Labour



Sir Charles Kingsford Smith, for whose safety anxiety is now felt.

### SANCTIONS INJURE BUSINESS

### FRENCH TRADERS PROTESTING

### ITALY WON'T PAY DEBTS

Paris, Nov. 8. While the French Government whole-heartedly supports anti-Italian sanctions, French businessmen are not quite so enthusiastic and the Government is receiving a number of complaints from all over the country alleging serious damage to business in certain sections of trade.

The merchants of Lyons have sent in a vigorous protest against sanctions, requesting the Government to take steps to make up the business deficiencies caused by them and to take appropriate action for the protection of French business interests in Italy which have been seriously jeopardised because of the imposition of sanctions, and the consequent Italian ill-will.—Reuter.

#### ITALY BENEFITS

Geneva, Nov. 8. Italy has benefited in one thing as a result of sanctions.

It is estimated that the Government of Italy will benefit to the extent of £8,000,000 through her suspension of debt payments to countries which are joining in the plan of sanctions.

Britain and France between them suffer to the extent of £2,000,000.—Reuter.

#### DATE OF SANCTIONS

London, Nov. 8. The Board of Trade has appointed November 18 for date of sanctions against Italy.—Reuter.

### GOVERNMENT TO ISSUE NOTES

### EMERGENCY MEETING

The Hongkong Government has decided to impose an embargo on the exportation of British dollars, Mexican dollars, Hongkong subsidiary coin or silver bullion from the Colony, effective from noon to-day.

The decision is contained in a Government Gazette Extraordinary notification issued at noon, which reads as follows:

"In exercise of the powers conferred by section 4 of the Importation and Exportation Ordinance, 1916, the Governor in Council rescinds paragraph (II) of the Regulation published by Government Notification No. 439 in the Gazette of the 7th June, 1936, and the word 'or' at the end of paragraph (I) thereof, and makes the following additional Regulation:

"No person, other than the Treasurer and persons acting under his direction, shall after 12 noon of Saturday, the 9th day of November, 1936, export any British dollars, Mexican dollars, Hongkong subsidiary silver coin or silver bullion from this Colony, effective from noon to-day.

The new Ordinance authorises the Treasurer to issue and reissue one-dollar currency notes which will be legal tender for the payment of any amount. These notes are not intended to replace the dollar coins. It is not intended that they shall remain permanently in circulation. They are issued as an emergency measure to maintain the supply of currency of a relatively small denomination.

Arrangements have been made to replace them by one-dollar bank-notes. As soon as an adequate supply of the latter becomes available, it is intended that no more Government one-dollar notes shall be issued and that those in circulation shall be gradually withdrawn therefrom.

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### SURROUNDING RAS SEYOUM

### FIGHTING CLOSER TO LAKE TSANA

### ITALIANS SWEEP ON TO GORRAHEI

Rome, Nov. 8.

Italian irregular troops and mechanised forces have crossed the Setit River in North Ethiopia and the First Army Corps, under General Maravigna, has completed the occupation of that Adiab region, between Aksum and Setit.

It is believed that the Italians are about to commence an advance towards Gondar. It is also suggested that this move may foreshadow the encirclement of the Tembien plateau and Simein Massif, which Ras Seyoum's troops are still holding. Such a drive, if it were successful, would bring the Italians into the vicinity of Lake Tsana.

On the extreme left of the advancing Italian army, meanwhile, a mixed column of native troops, mainly Danakils, has occupied Azbi.—Reuter.

#### DE BONO'S MESSAGE

Asmara, Nov. 8. General de Bono, in a personal telegram to Signor Mussolini, declared to-day:

"Our flag which was hauled down from this post on January 22, 1896, flew here again at 9 o'clock to-day, thanks to the efforts of our Italian troops and our gallant native allies." The message was dated from Makale.

Italian airmen who reconnoitred the position before the town was occupied reported no large body of Ethiopians could be seen in the vicinity. The main concentration of Ethiopian troops is considerably further south of Makale.

There are no indications that the Italians will meet with any determined resistance in the near future. In fact, an Italian military report says that monkeys are occasioning the troops more trouble than the Ethiopians, for they climb the telephone poles and tear down the wires, as well as doing all sorts of mischievous damage in the Italian encampments.—Reuter.

#### ATTACK ON FOUR FRONTS

Rome, Nov. 8. The Italian armies surged forward on four fronts to-day, seizing two major objectives and making progress towards three others. Makale and Gorrahoi are apparently both occupied, and with out a shot being fired!

First despatches did not mention casualties.

There has been a terrific aerial bombardment of Gorrahoi and the Ethiopians must have lost heavily.

Two columns are advancing through the uncharted western wilderness in a pinching movement, designed to surround Ras Seyoum's army and eventually to seize Gondar.

Gondar is the commanding town of the Lake Tsana region, and British troops are within a few miles of it, guarding the Lake Tsana water system, which is the source of the Blue Nile and Egypt's "heart."

Cavalry units from Moussaali are reported moving towards a junction with the Danakil column from Edagamus at the Addis Ababa-Djibouti railway.—United Press.

#### DAGGABUR BOMBED

Harrar, Nov. 8. Daggabur has been seriously bombed by planes, which dropped thousands of bombs.

The victims included the commander of the garrison, who has (Continued on Page 14.)

The fund shall be held on deposit at one or more banks in the

United States.

Washington, Nov. 8.

Judge Landis, Chairman of the

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WIFE OR MOTHER?  
MAN HAS TO CHOOSE

## Sequel - A Suicide

MR. HAROLD FREDERICK ORROM, of Reading, had the difficult task of choosing between his duty to his wife and his duty to his sixty-eight-year-old mother, Mrs. Mary Anne Orrom.

He chose his wife. So his mother committed suicide. He told the story at the inquest on his mother at Reading to-day. He said that since his marriage last Christmas he and his wife had lived with his mother in Valencia-road, Reading. Wife and mother-in-law could not agree.

He decided that his duty to

his wife must come first, and he found a new home in Cranbury-road.

They moved last Sunday. Next morning he went to visit his mother. He found her lying dead with her head in the gas oven.

A verdict of "Suicide while of unsound mind" was recorded.

## BEAUTY ON TOUR



"Miss Universe"—"Miss Egypt" before the beauty-judging at Brussels—sees the sights of Paris.

Blonde  
Spy's  
Life In PrisonVISITS BY  
HAIRDRESSER

BRENT, Oct. 30. LYDIA OSWALD, the beautiful blonde spy, now eagerly counting the closing days of her nine months' imprisonment at the naval prison here, has since her trial been in need of a new trousseau, and as she is the first woman prisoner ever to be in custody at this prison, the authorities were perplexed.

After considerable deliberation, however, they solved the problem by deducting the purchase money for her clothes from a sum of nearly £700 sent her some time ago from a foreign country and confiscated.

Lydia's charms cast a spell over two young French naval officers, but at her trial here on September 12 for attempted espionage, she declared that she fell so desperately in love with one of them—Count de Forceville—that she resolved to have nothing more to do with spying.

At the time of her trial she had been in prison for more than six months.

Though she has become a trifle thinner, she has lost none of her charm of manner, sympathetic appeal, or coquetry even.

She declares that as soon as she is free she will go to her mother's home at St. Gall, Switzerland, where she will begin a new life in a suitable employment...

Sewing And Washing

Prisoners are allowed wine or water. Lydia is given milk because she prefers it.

Sometimes she does a little sewing and washing for herself.

Her golden locks are still kept in pretty shape by the hairdresser who dressed her hair the morning before her appearance at court for trial, but, excepting a little rouge on her lips she uses no make-up.

Lydia takes walks daily, nearly always wearing her favourite smart brown tailor-made costume, to which she sometimes adds a jumper of a shade which prettily matches the ensemble.

Her finger nails may not be artificially coloured, but the little tasks she performs have not taken away the softness of her pretty hands.

While she was a failure at prying into naval secrets, she has proved singularly successful in her conquest of sympathy, as well as

How The  
Stars Get  
Their Names

BRUCE CABOT WAS  
ETIENNE JACQUES  
DE BUJAC

Where did the stars get their names?

Joan Crawford, named Billie Cassin at birth, received her screen name from "fans" as the result of a magazine contest.

Clarke Gable, whose real name is William Clark Gable, was named after his father.

Greta Garbo, christened Greta Gustafsson, changed her last name to Garbo at the suggestion of Mauritz Stiller, her first director.

Edna May Oliver, christened Edna May Nutter, changed her last name to Oliver when she went on the stage.

Jean Harlow was christened Harlean Carpenter. Harlean was made from her mother's maiden name, Harlow.

Helen Hayes, born as Helen Brown, later changed to the last name which she has made so famous.

Frank Morgan, who started life as Frank Wupperman, when on the stage, decided that Morgan would be a better last name for the theatre.

Printer's Error

May Robson owes her name to a printer's error. She was born May Robison, but when her name was included in the handwritten cast of her first stage show, the printer misread the last name. May didn't like the printed programme spelling, and complained to the manager, but he urged the use of Robson as shorter and better for show business, and so the name has remained.

Robert Taylor, upon entering pictures, found his real name, Arlington Braugh, to be so confusing to pronounce that he chose an easier one, Robert Taylor, a name that is growing daily in importance on the film horizon.

Bruce Cabot, born as Etienne Jacques de Bujac, for screen purposes selected Bruce Cabot.

Virginia Bruce, formerly Virginia Briggs, changed her last name to Bruce when she entered pictures.

Jane Knight, who came into the world as Margaret Rose Vallkett, changed to Jane Knight when she started her dancing career.

Jean Parker was born Mae Green. After her "discovery" by Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer, she changed to Jean Parker.

Nat Pendleton, named after his father, has used his real name throughout his career.

Mickey Rooney, who started out as Joe Yule, Jr., son of an Irish family, changed to a more typical Irish name when he started on the stage.

Shirley Ross thought that name sounded more professional when she started as a radio singer than her real name, Bernice Grant—and she has kept it ever since she entered the professional world.

Irene Hervey, before entering pictures, changed her real name, Herwick, to Hervey.

Louise Henry, rising younger player, was Jessie Louise Heiman before going on the Broadway stage.

Even Diana Wynyard

Diana Wynyard, christened Dorothy Cox, changed her name for theatrical purposes.

Although there are many stars who have found it necessary to change their names for the screen, the greater majority have kept their true names in spite of their careers. This large group includes Norma Shearer, Elizabeth Allan, Lionel Barrymore, Freddie Bartholemew, Wallace Beery, Constance Bennett, Nelson Eddy, Constance Collier, Madge Evans, Robert Montgomery, Maureen O'Sullivan, William Powell, Luis Ruffner and numerous others.

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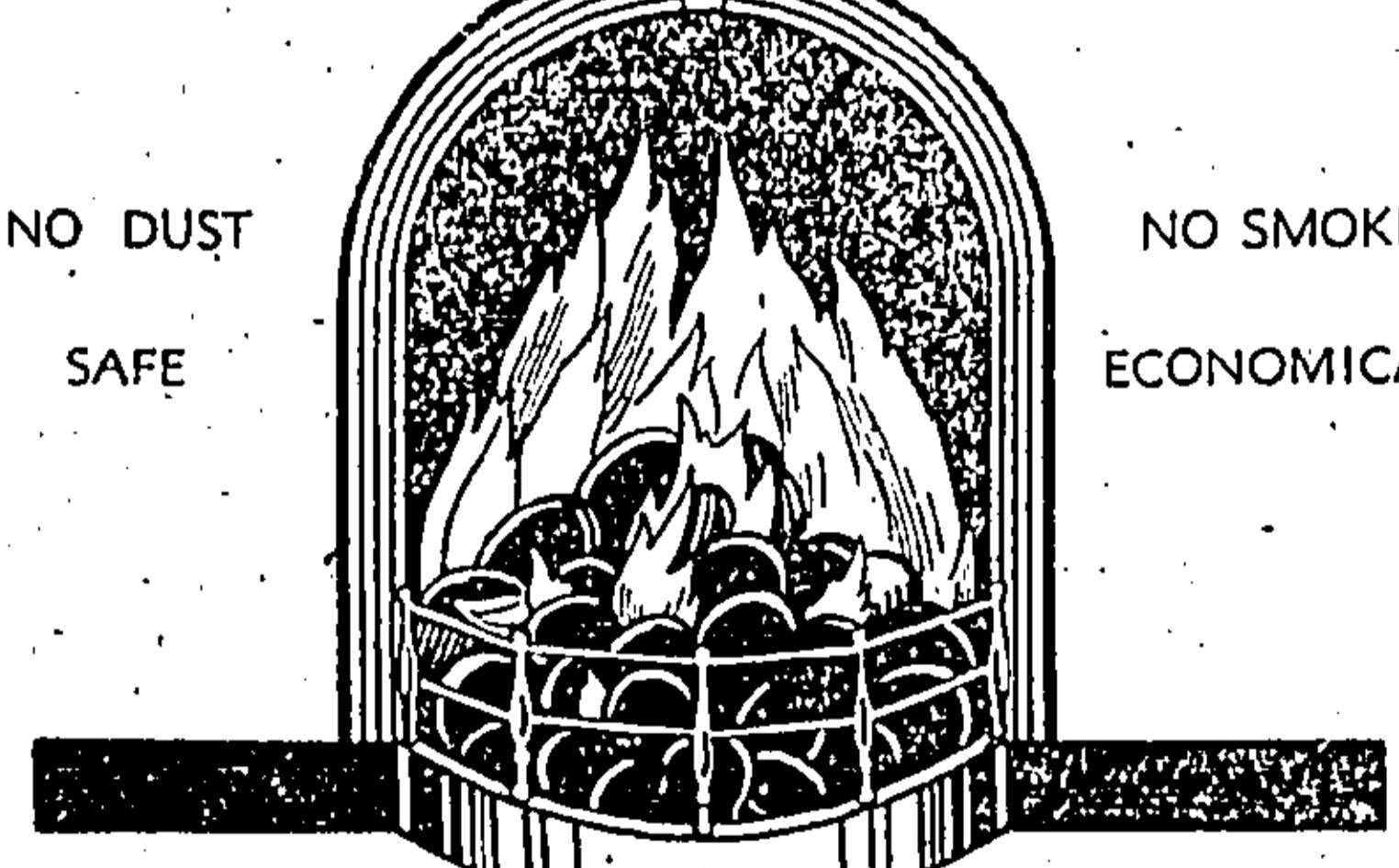
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A unique ceremony in connection with the 250th anniversary celebrations of the Lincolnshire Regiment was witnessed at Shamshulpo Camp yesterday morning when Major-General C. B. Simpson, C.B., Colonel of the Regiment, presented a set of silver drums.

On arrival at the Camp at 11 a.m. General Simpson was received by a Guard of Honour under the command of Captain C. Penrake, with Lieutenant A. Wall carrying the Regimental Colour. After inspecting the Guard, the General joined the battalion, which was formed up in close formation in rear. He then addressed the battalion.

In the course of his speech the General said, "Comrades, I am here to-day for the presentation, or rather the handing over, of a set of silver drums. The occasion is unique, as it is perhaps the first time, in the history of the Army, at which a regiment has purchased for itself a set of silver drums.

As you know this set has been bought with subscriptions from everyone, from the Colonel downwards. You all know the occasion we are commemorating to-day. It has been difficult to find a suitable way of describing this 250th Anniversary. It marks the close of two hundred and fifty years service—'Loyal Service' is the best description—'250 years Loyal Service.' Great care and trouble has been taken to get the drums out here by this date, and as you see, it has been done. I will now call upon the Drum Major to take over the set of drums."

Selected Drummers then stepped forward and took up the set of new drums. When this was completed the Regimental March was played. This was followed by marching and counter-marching by the Band and Drums, several tunes being played.

As a conclusion to the ceremony the battalion marched past General Simpson, who took the salute.

#### Regimental History

The Lincolnshire Regiment was among those called into being to deal with Monmouth's Rebellion, but it was not until 1692 that it saw active service. This was in the war of the Grand Alliance. For the next 120 years it served in the campaigns of Marlborough, the American Revolution, the war with revolutionary France, and the Peninsular War. For its services in the campaign against Napoleon in Egypt it was granted authority to use the Sphinx as its badge.

Up to 1782 the Regiment was known as the Teath Foot, but in that year it was directed "to take the county name of the Tenth or North Lincolnshire Regiment," and so began the territorial association with the County of Lincoln.

#### Indian Service

The Tenth served in the Sikh Wars of 1846-47, gaining special distinction for gallantry at the Battle of Sobraon. It also took Territorial designation corresponding to the locality with which it was connected. Thus the Tenth Foot became the Lincolnshire Regiment.

The Great War was fought on an enormous scale. In it the Regiment grew to 10 battalions—served in all the principal fronts, and gained many battle honours. The roll of honour totalled 390 officers and 12,013 other ranks.

In more recent times, the Regiment served in Ireland, in the troubled period after the War, manned part of the perimeter in Shanghai in 1932 and now the 2nd Battalion is stationed at Malu.

#### Tuesday's Ceremony

The Regimental Colour of 1st Bn. The Lincolnshire Regiment will be 'trooped' on Tuesday, November 12, at 10.30 a.m.

By kind permission of the President and Members of the Committee of the Hongkong Polo Club, the ceremony will take place on the polo ground, Boundary Road, Kowloon.

The ceremony is said to have evolved from customs observed during the seventeenth and eighteenth centuries in the carrying out of the two titles of "Landing the Colour" and "Guard Mounting."

In those times, at the end of the day's drill or fighting, the Colour was "trooped" down the ranks before the battalion was dismissed. Then, when the officers had taken the Colour to their lodgings, the men fled past them thereby learning of their place of assembly in case of alarm.

In the present form of the ceremony the Colour, in the charge of a Sergeant, is first taken over by the Regimental Sergeant Major, as representative of the warrant officers, Non-Commissioned Officers and men, and then handed to the Lieutenant of the Right Guard. This Right Guard, which has as its origin the "Grenadier Company," becomes escort to the Colour and takes it down the ranks thus giving all ranks an opportunity of seeing the Colour and paying it honour.

All guards then march past in slow and quick time, and show to the spectators, the symbol which they hold in such high esteem.

Spectators will be accommodated in and around the Polo Ground Pavilion and should arrive on the ground by 10.20 a.m.

#### At the Cenotaph

On Armistice Day, Monday, Major-General Simpson will lay the Regimental wreath at the Cenotaph.

On Sunday, November 17, a special anniversary Drum-head service will be held in the new unfinished Church at the Shamshulpo Camp.

The Regimental Ball will be held at the Peninsula Hotel on Monday, November 18, at 9.30 p.m.

On the following day the drums will beat the Retreat with the new set of silver drums presented yesterday.

Major-General Simpson calls for England on Wednesday, November 20.



Ralph Bellamy in "Air Hawks" picture showing to-morrow at the Alhambra.

## HOTEL GALA SEASON

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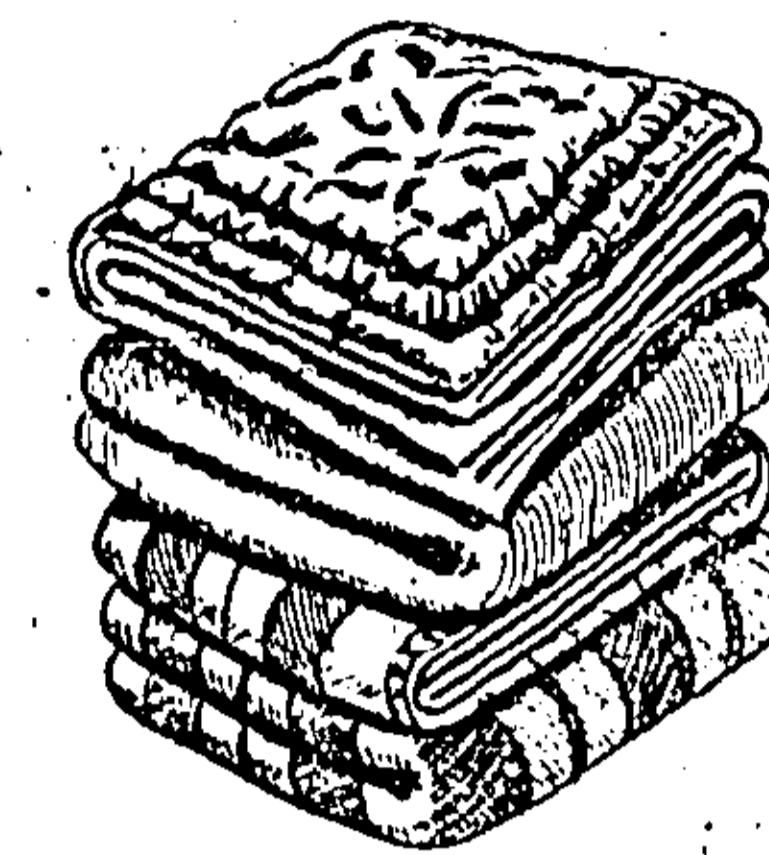
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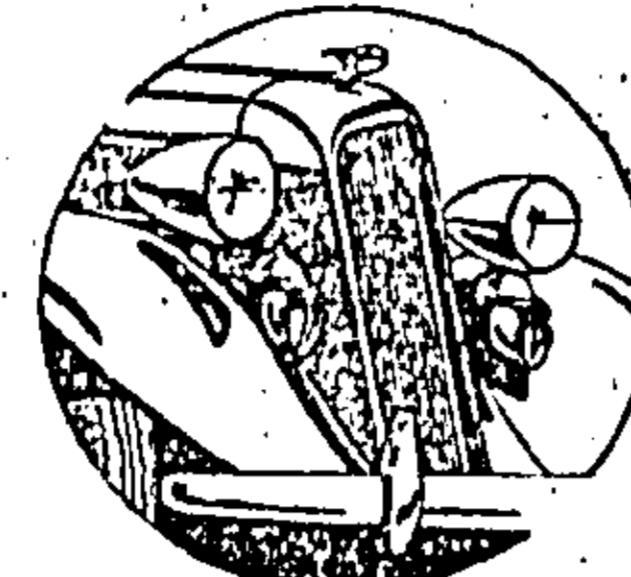
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## DEATH

BROUWER.—In Holland, while on sick leave, Jan Reinier Brouwer, Manager, Netherlands Trading Society, Hongkong. (By cable).

The  
Hongkong Telegraph.

SATURDAY, Nov. 9, 1935.

ITALY LOSING  
FRIENDS

An immediate effect of Italy's Ethiopian adventure will inevitably be the weakening of her influence in Europe. This would be so, even if she were allowed a perfectly free hand and with luck and judgment won success, for even her own most optimistic forecast visualises a three-year campaign before Ethiopia can be regarded as completely conquered. Throughout these three years—or much longer, if more impartial experts than her own are to be believed—Italy's financial strength would be strained almost to breaking point and the flower of her manhood would be required abroad in East Africa. Very few believe she could stand the strain. But the prospect is really much darker still for her. She has entered upon her enterprise in direct defiance of the League of Nations. Great Britain, France and Russia are definitely opposed, and all the other European nations in the League have also ranged themselves against her. When the sanctions are in force, Italy will be unable to trade with other nations or raise any loans outside her own borders. It is also possible that at an early date her communications with her African armies will be cut. Whether she treats these acts as a declaration of war or not, it is certain that she can look forward to nothing but disastrous defeat. If, even at this eleventh hour, or rather at this twelfth hour, for action has already sounded the bell, Italy alters her course and withdraws from her dangerous pursuit, she can expect little but the humiliation and all-round distrust she has prepared for herself. However we look at the situation, then, it seems safe to prophesy that for months to come, perhaps for years, Italy will be unable to play the part in Europe that she has hitherto sought to fill. That at any rate is what Central Europe appears to be thinking. To take two specific instances—Hungary and Austria. The events of the last two years have brought these two countries increasingly within the orbit of Italian influence. Recently, the Hungarian Prime Minister was hobnobbing with the German leaders, and there were rumours of a Polish-Hungarian-German Air Pact. This may or may not come off—but it is at least a straw to show that the wind that blew towards Italy is veering now towards Germany. The case of Austria is still more interesting, for it is notorious that her present dictatorial Government has depended for its existence more upon Italian backing than upon the support

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The wife who has made her husband happy and her children happy knows how she did it, and she could tell us a great deal that we do not find in books or in philosophies or in theories.

We know a good wife and a good mother when we see her, and we recognise her power and her influence when we enter her home. But we are sadly ignorant about the processes which are at work in the happy home. If only the good wife and the good mother could make known the secret of her magic, the new wife might imitate her and put her precepts into living practice.

How is it done? Can the new wife learn the art of marriage? Can she shorten the period of trial and error? Can she experience of her predecessors?

Whole libraries have been filled with the literature of marriage. Thousands of volumes give advice. We find the wreckage of marriage in novels, plays, and biographies.

One thing is certain. Marriage on the whole is a success. Otherwise it would not last as an institution. The world has much to learn from the wives who have succeeded. They can tell us more than all the outsiders.

## BULLS AND INNERS

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□ □  
Kwangtung is to experiment with the growing of American fruit. Looks like a good chance of raspberries.

□ □  
As we see it, our dollars are of more value to people outside the Colony even although they've never seen a Hongkong dollar, let alone earned one!

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What seems to be troubling our amateur currency experts now is the dollar silver discontent.

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Anyhow, the interport cricketers are, we hope, on a good wicket.

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Reverting to the dollar—but who wants to, anyway!

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Business men are not nearly as interested in the Book of the Prophets as in the Ledger of the Profs.

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The difference between American and Hongkong currencies is that the U.S. dollar is worth more, and the Hongkong dollar worthless.

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It is comforting to know that the Government is watching the currency situation. The more you watch, the less you see!

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A diplomat is one who is always willing to lay down your life for his country.

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Prosperity is said to be just around the corner. The problem is how to discover which corner.

□ □  
Roof gardens are all very well as long as the owner is not too vigorous with his pick-axe!

## NOTES OF THE DAY

## COMMENDABLE EFFORT

The critics who have been saying that the Hongkong police force might have done this or that to prevent a recurrence of such outrages as the China Light and Power Company hold-up and the slaying of an Indian guard on that unfortunate occasion, will now probably be pacified. We refer to the raids which the police undertook yesterday in the New Territories. Kowloon Tong and elsewhere. The early reports stated that they had only arrested one man on suspicion. But the value of such an organised piece of preventive work cannot be judged by the number of suspects the "dragons" bring in. The moral effect such operations have is far more important than the arrest of one or a dozen thieves or bandits, though, to be sure, it would have been gratifying had the raiders happened upon a group of these cold-blooded killers. It is our opinion, and we think most citizens will agree with us, that yesterday's piece of police vigilance and enterprise was most commendable.

## FAMOUS FLIER LOST

When he decided to attempt to crack the record set up by Scott and Black between London and Melbourne, Sir Charles Kingsford-Smith, that extraordinarily able Australian aviator, said it was his last appearance in headlines. He had flown 7,000 hours in 19 years, and had reached an age when retirement seemed to be indicated. He said so himself. Yesterday (Continued on Page 7.)

of Austrian citizens. The Austrian Nazis and the Austrian Socialists differ in many points. They agree in opposition to the present regime, and probably between them they include at least half, possibly 60 or even 80 per cent of the population. Now that the League of Nations has declared for economic sanctions against Italy, will the Austrian Government dare to close its frontiers to its patrols? If it does not, it will entail a break with the League, and especially with Great Britain and France. What then will become of Austrian independence? There are many signs that the Government is feeling the awkwardness of the dilemma, and rumours are current that it is feeling its way to a broadening of its basis—sometimes it is said, by bringing in Nazis, at others by bringing in Socialists, to its support.



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Flashlight photograph taken at farewell dinner party on the eve of Mr. E. M. K. Meade's departure from the Colony. (Photo: Ming Yuen).



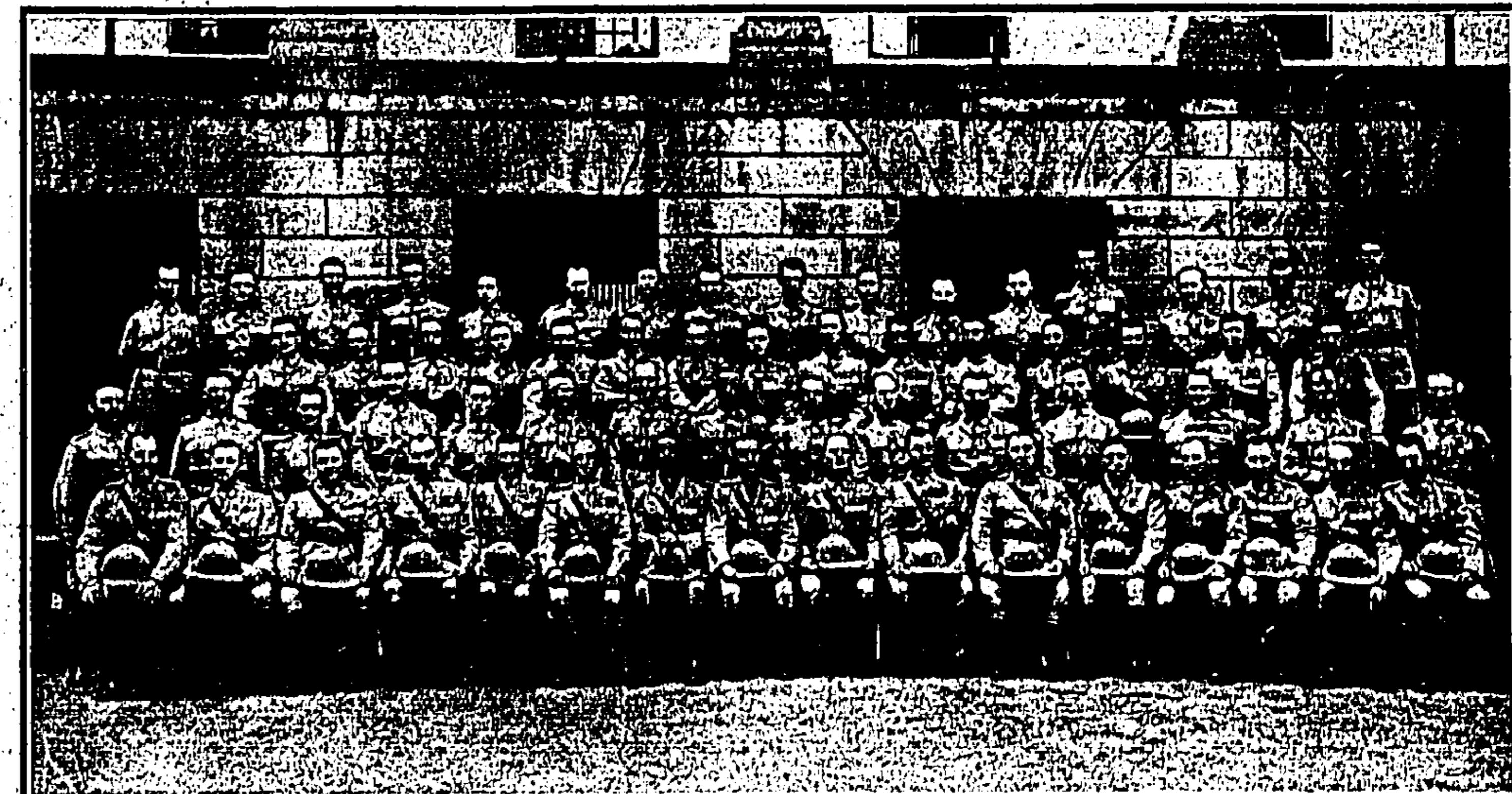
Group taken after the wedding, at the Registry, of Mr. H. G. Glasgow and Miss M. A. M. Kloth. (Photo: Ming Yuen).



Mr. Andrew Mar, M.S.C., and his bride, formerly Miss Mary Chan. (Photo: Ming Yuen).



Photograph taken on the official call paid by leaders of the U.S. Congressional party to Government House. Left to right are seen Mr. Merritt Coates, U.S. Vice-Consul; Mr. Charles Hoover, U. S. Consul-General; Mr. Joseph Byrnes, Speaker of the House of Representatives; and Vice-President John N. Garner. (Photo: Ming Yuen).



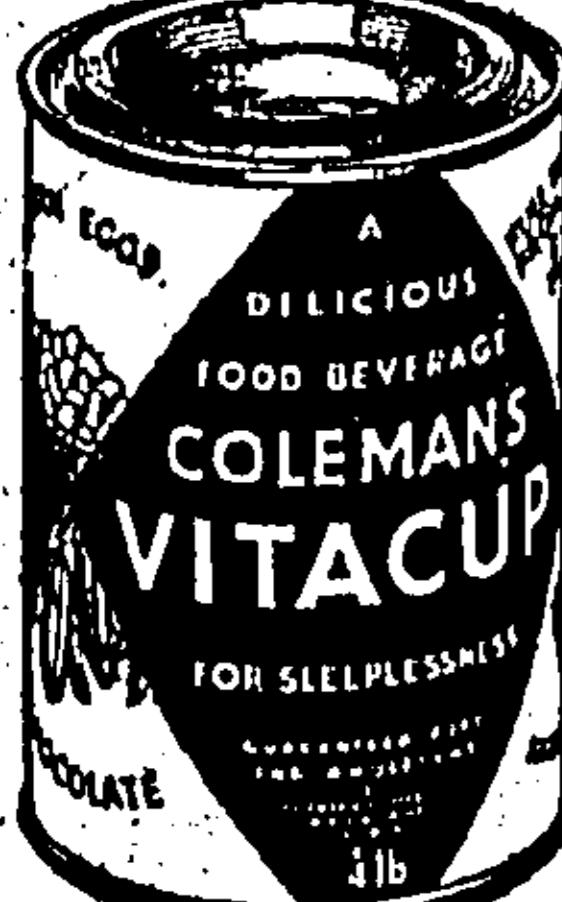
Group shows warrant officers and senior N.C.O.'s of the Royal Engineers. It was taken at the recent "R. E. Sunday" observance. (Photo: Ming Yuen).



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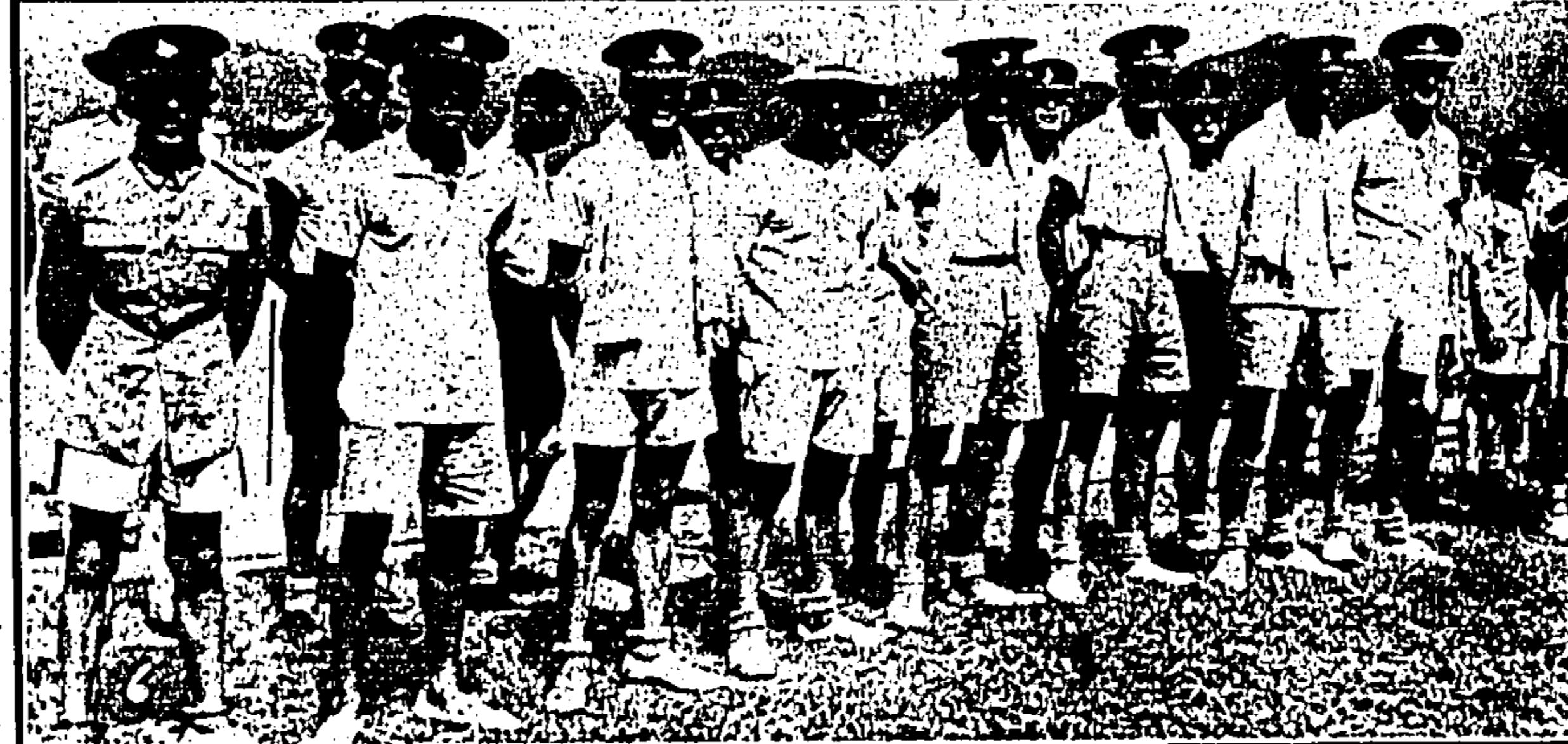


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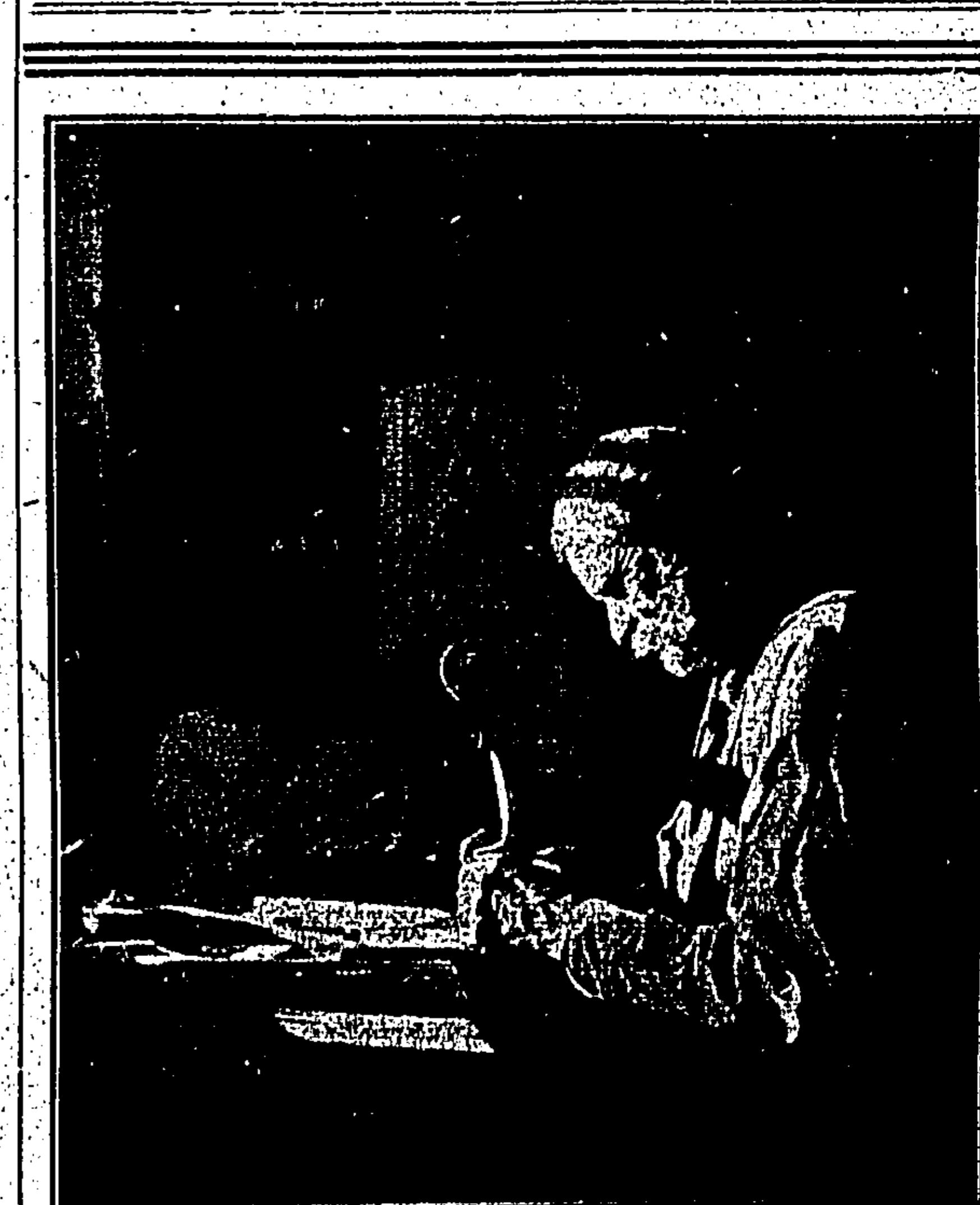
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The above group shows some of the competitors in the recent Hongkong Area rowing regatta. (Photo: Ming Yuen).



Lieut. W. N. D. Knox, of H.M.S. *Parthian*, with his bride, formerly Miss Joan Illingsworth, leaving St. John's Cathedral after their recent wedding. (Photo: Ming Yuen).



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Mrs. Thackeray, wife of the acting G.O.C., presenting the prizes at the Hongkong Area rowing regatta.  
(Photo: Ming Yuen).



The Hongkong University Arts Association, of which Mr. B. G. Birch, M.A. (seated eighth from right) is the President. (Photo: A. Fong).



One of the last ceremonies performed by Mr. N. L. Smith as Officer Administering the Government was the investing of Sir Wm. Shenton, Mr. Aw Boon-haw, Mr. Chau Man-chi, Mr. Tang Shiu-kin and Mr. Ip Kwal-chung with the Order of St. John of Jerusalem decorations. (Photo: A. Fong).

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## PEACE STRUGGLE

MR. BALDWIN ON  
EUROPE'S DANGER

London, Nov. 8. The Prime-Minister, in a speech at Leeds, emphasized again the Government's decision to do all in its power through the League of Nations to bring peace in the world. When peace came he hoped it would come before too much harm was done. They would have to make renewed efforts to remove the fear that hung over Europe. Until then and until the people felt the confidence that peace was assured it was impossible to get that beginning of the flow of international trade which was essential before prosperity could be widespread in Britain.

Abrond one of the things that frightened him more than anything was the way in which parts of Europe, unlike Britain, were not getting more prosperous. There were countries which were getting less and less prosperous, countries in which the standard of life was becoming lower. Until there was such feeling of security in Europe that nations could put vast sums of money and vast numbers of people who to-day were working on plantations into industry, he could see no chance of those countries becoming more prosperous. And conditions in which people were less prosperous, less happy, less comfortable tended to make for less stability. Lovers of freedom in those countries, he declared, were watching Britain at this time and were praying that she should stand firm.

## MACAO SILVER

GOVERNMENT MAY  
ISSUE COINS

Macao, Nov. 7. As a result of the abnormal situation created in the silver market, the Government of Macao has prohibited the export of silver in any form, including Chinese silver currency, which has been the medium of small business and even fairly large transactions among the Chinese. The law came into force to-day.

It is stated that Chinese money-changers anticipating the possibility of such a measure managed to export considerable quantities of Chinese silver coins before the enforcement of the new measure. One result of withdrawal by these money-changers of such coins from the money market will be to cause a drop in the premium payable in banknotes; this premium has kept pretty steadily at forty to forty-five per cent. during the last few months.

Any substantial drop in this premium will probably cause some difficulty among small merchants and the poorer classes, unless the Government can devise some means of overcoming the threatening difficulty.

Finding that Chinese business in Macao has been too long dependent on Chinese coins for the transaction of business, the Acting Governor has appointed a Commission to inquire into the advisability of issuing subsidiary coinage for use in Macao, in addition to bigger coins, as dollars. The findings of the commission are expected to be announced within five or six weeks. —Our Own Correspondent.

## MR. WANG CHING-WEI

BULLET EXTRACTED FROM  
FACIAL WOUND

Nanking, Nov. 8. The following bulletin was issued at noon to-day:

"Mr. Wang Ching-wei's condition continues satisfactory, his temperature being 37, pulse 84, respiration 16.

At 11.15 a.m., after an examination by X-ray, Mr. Wang was operated upon under local anaesthesia by Dr. J. K. Shen and the bullet lodged in his left cheek was extracted. —Reuter.

## Chinkiang Arrests

Nanking, Nov. 8. A message from Chinkiang states that Woo Yun-ling, chief editor of the *Chin Kung* News Agency has been arrested for alleged complicity in the recent attempt on Mr. Wang Ching-wei's life.

Twenty-one others were also arrested in Chinkiang and have been brought here under heavy guard.

Eight other suspects including one woman are expected to be brought here to-day from Shanghai by train. A special court with General Koo Chin-lun, Commander of Gendarmerie, Mr. Chan Chuk, Commissioner of Police, and Messrs. Pan Shuch-yu, Chang Tao-fan, Tao Li-him and Kook Chinkiang as judges will deal with these suspects. —Wah Kiu Yet Po.



Bridal group taken after the wedding, at St. John's Cathedral on Wednesday, of Mr. G. T. Mott and Miss Jennifer M. Steinhause. (Photo: E. A. von Kobza-Nagy).

CHINA'S CUSTOMS  
REVENUENEW EDITION OF  
VOLUME

A work of considerable magnitude and of undoubted value is "China's Customs Revenue Since the Revolution of 1911," printed and published by the Statistical Department of the Inspectorate General of Customs, Shanghai. This is the third edition of the book and is the work of Stanley F. Wright, with the assistance of John H. Cubbon, Financial Secretary to the Commissioner of Customs.

The work describes the manner in which the Customs revenue has been collected and banked in recent years, embodies a record of the methods adopted by the Inspectorate to cope with the financial confusion which arose in the early days of the Revolution, and relates the nature of the measures enforced through the agency of the Inspector General of Customs to deal with the situation.

The appendices have been much enlarged and include additional tables showing to what purposes the revenue has been devoted as well as a unique collection of documents (bonds, amortisation tables, diplomatic correspondence, etc.) bearing on the various national portions of the Boxer Indemnity.

A tribute is paid to the wise statesmanship which has gradually but surely raised loan bonds to the proud position of being accepted by banks and the investing public as sound Government stock.

It is stated that through all vicissitudes the object which the Government has kept steadily in view in the disposal of Customs revenue has been, and is, to maintain national honour abroad and at home, so far as prescribed limitations allow, to help in creating a firm financial foundation on which China's Government in the future can build with safety and security, and to assist whenever and wherever possible Chinese agencies that work for the welfare and advancement of the Chinese people.

The book is handsomely bound in green leather and is a monumental work on the subject with which it deals.

## NOTES OF THE DAY

(Continued from Page 6.)

It was learned that he had passed Karachi, that he had covered 4,000 miles of his route in 25 hours, that, in other words, he was right on the tail of the record-holders, Scott and Black, who flew the distance in 71 hours, with one engine of their twin-motor Comet crackling up. It was that troublesome engine that slowed the British airmen so badly on the last lap of their flight, from Darwin to Melbourne. But for their time would have been at least three hours better. Sir Charles was largely counting upon that loss of time to give him a margin of profit. His own big Lockheed plane had only one motor, truly; but Sir Charles thought it the finest in the world. It had been proved over thousands of miles of test flights, above oceans, mountains and ice-fields. It had carried him across continents. He was convinced that it was the finest motor and the finest plane on earth and he wanted to prove it to everybody. —To-day Sir Charles Kingsford-Smith is missing. The roar of the big Lockheed is lost somewhere in a wilderness of ocean and tropic islands. Sir Charles had said this was to be his last record-breaking flight, his last appearance in headlines. It is distressing to think that he may have been prophetic.

Two cases of diphtheria, and one case of typhoid, were reported to the local health authorities on Thursday.

LONDON STOCK  
EXCHANGELATEST SHARE  
QUOTATIONS

The following quotations on the London Stock Exchange have been received by Messrs. Swan, Culbertson and Fritz in conjunction with Reuter. Nov. 7, Nov. 8.

British Government Securities  
War Loan 3½% redm. after 1952 £104½ £105  
Chinese Bonds  
4½% Bonds 1898 (Eng. Inv.) £102½ £102½  
4½% Loan 1908 £99½ £99½  
5% Loan 1912 £78½ £78½  
6% Reogr. Loan 1913 (Ldn. Inv.) £93½ £93½  
5% Bonds 1926-47 £97½ £97½  
5% Shantung-Nanking £73½ £75½  
5% Tientsin-Pukow £31 £31  
5% Tientsin-Pukow (Supl.) £28 £28  
5% Honan Ry. £30 £30  
5% Hukung Ry. 1911 £47 £40½  
5% Lung Tsing U. Hsi Ry. 1913 £17½ £17½

Foreign Bonds and Banks  
German 7½% Int. Loan 1924 £50 £50  
Japan 5½% Sterling Loan 1907 £83½ £83½  
Japan 6% Sterling Loan 1924 £95½ £96  
H.K. & Sh'hai Bk. (Ldn. Regd.) £105 £104½  
Chardl. Bk. of I.A. & C. £14½ £14  
Commercial and Industrial  
Allied Iron Founders 40/- 40/-  
Associated Elec. Industries 39/- 39/-  
Austin Motors ord. sh. 45/- 44½  
Boots 5/- sh. 48½ 48½  
British-American Tobacco (Bearer) 113/9 113½  
Canadian Cebaneh 96/3 96/3  
Chinese Eng. and Min. (Bearer) 13/6 13/6  
Courtneids 54/3 54/3  
Distillers 94/ 93½  
Dunlop Rubber 38/1½ 37/9  
Electric Musical Industries 26/9 26/-  
General Electric (Englands) 56/3 56/-  
Hawker Aircraft Imp'l. Chem. Ind. 36/9 36/9  
O.K. Bazaar 43/- 44½  
Imperial Tobacco 142/6 146/3  
Rolls Royce £1 sh. 152/6 151/3  
Sh'hai Elec. Constr. 45/- 45/-  
Tate & Lyle 88/9 88/9  
Turner & Newall 59/ 59/3  
United Steel 32/3 32/3  
Watney, Combe & Reid (B. & C.) 18/6 18/-  
Woolworths 111/ 112/3  
Miscellaneous 74/6 74/6  
Anglo-Dutch 25/9 25/9  
Gulf Kalimpong 23/- 23/-  
Pekin. Synd. 2/- ord. 1/3 1/3  
Rubber Trusts 30/9 30/9  
Mines 10 ..... 11/10½ 12/-

WHEN CONSCIENCE IS PURE IT TRUMPS O'er BITTER MALICE, O'er DARK CALUMNY, BUT IF THERE BE ONE SINGLE STAIN, REPROACHES BEAT LIKE HAMMERS IN THE EARS. —Alexander Pushkin.

H.E. the Officer Administering the Government has issued a proclamation appointing January 1, 1936, as the date for the coming into operation of the Dangerous Drugs Ordinance, 1936.

His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government has appointed Commander J. R. Newall, D.S.O., R.N. (Retired), as Air Harbour Master and Director of Air Services, during the absence on leave of the Hon. Commander G. F. Hole, R.N. (Retired).

The Hongkong Post Office announces that lotteries will now be accepted for transnational by Imperial Airways to Sudan, Uganda, Kenya, Tanzania, North and South Rhodesia and the Union of South Africa. The rate is 81 per half ounce inclusive of regular postage.

U.S. COMMODITY  
PRICESLATEST CABLED  
QUOTATIONS

The following quotations on the New York commodity exchange are issued by Reuter.

New York Cotton

December 11.15 Nov. 8. 11.20/29

January 11.09 12.25/25

March 11.01 11.17/17

May 11.00 11.16/16

July 10.97 11.13/15

October 10.75 10.92/93

Spot 11.55 11.70

New York Rubber

December 13.42 Nov. 8. 13.34/35

January 13.49 13.41/11

March 13.63 13.57½/50

May 13.79 13.73½/75

July 13.94 13.87½/89

Total sales:—130 lots

Chicago Wheat

December 96% Nov. 8. 96½/96½

May 96% 97½/97½

July 89% 90½/90½

Thursday's sales:—29,270,000 bushels

Chicago Corn

December 59 Nov. 8. 59/59½

May 59½ 59½/59½

July 60½ 60½/60½

Thursday's sales:—4,063,000 bushels

Winnipeg Wheat

December 84½ Nov. 8. 84½/85

May 88½ 89/89

July 89½ 89½/89½

Total sales:—12,000 tons

New York Sugar

December 2.48 Nov. 8. 2.44/46

January 2.18 2.16/17

March 2.19 2.17/18

May 2.24 2.21/22

July 2.28 2.25/26

Total sales:—2,000 tons

Montreal Silver

December 65.80 Nov. 8. 65.65/85

January 65.75 65.65

March 66.17 65.77/99

May 66.40 66.00/50

Total sales:—17 contracts

New York Silk

December 2.09 Nov. 8. 2.03/05

March 2.04 2.00½/00½

May 2.63½ 2.63½/00½

Total sales:—112 lots

Montreal Silver

December 65.80 Nov. 8. 65.65/85

January 65.75 65.65

March 66.17 65.77/99

May 66.40 66.00/50

Total sales:—17 contracts

Anglo-Persian ... 66/10½ 66/10½

Burma Corp. ... 80/- 81/3

Shell Trans. and Trad. (Bearer) ... 80/- 80/-

Chosen Corp. ... 17/6 17/6

Marsman Investments, Ltd. ... 31/3 31/3

Reuter.

RADIO  
BROADCASTA Football Relay  
In Chinese

## CRICKET MATCH

From ZWB on wavelength of 365 metres (845 kilocycles):

4-7 p.m. Chinese Programme.  
4.15-5.30 p.m. A Running Commentary by Mr. Chan Chung-tung on the Hongkong Football Club and South China Athletic Association "A" relay from the Hongkong Football Club ground. (Chinese).

7-7.30 p.m. European Programme.

7.30-8.30 p.m. Symphony No. 4 in B flat (Beethoven, Op. 60).

8.30-9.30 p.m. From the Studio.

A commentary on the day's Inter-port Cricket by R. Abbott.

7.50-8 p.m. Chauve Souris Selection.

8 p.m. Local Time and Weather Report.

8.03-8.20 p.m. The New Mayfair Orchestra.

Tunes of Not-so-long-ago, 1921-1922, The Big Broadcast of 1938-Selection. The Gay Nineties—Waltz Medley.

8.20-8.30 p.m. "Anything Goes."

## INTERPORTERS SHOW

## WEATHER FINE &amp; WICKET GOOD

## BIG SCORES INDICATED

## THE INTERPORT PROSPECTS

(By "Veritas").

Yesterday's weather forecast was "Moderate, Plus to cloudy" and all indications point to the cricket Interport, which started this morning, enjoyed good playing conditions.

The wicket is being hard and should play very well. There is no apparent reason why it should break up during the three days of play.

Today the wicket is fluctuating, only to develop, it should yield a lot of runs, especially in view of the battling strength of the teams.

In this department I think we are to all intents and purposes won, what better off than the Colony, Shanghai can point to seven wickets in getting, Hayward, T. E. and Alec Pearce, Garthwaite, Madar, and Kermani, but their competitive club cricket performances are not quite as impressive as those of Leach, Stoker, Harry and Pat Madar and Kermani.

Another, this Hongkong does appear to be a little stronger in attack, with Pearce and Leach leading the fast bowlers back by a variety of spin bowlers from Minns, Alec Pearce, Madar, and A. B. Madar.

The winning of the toss, in view of the dry weather and the likely "dry" of the pitch, may not be of much importance, but although the advantage cannot be overlooked.

With, will be taken to day at 1.15 and play resumes at 1.15, drawing being drawn at 6 o'clock.

On Monday play starts at 1.15 at the fifth adjournment at 1.15 and close of play at 6 p.m.

On Tuesday the same will be continued at 1.15 a.m. with play from 10.30 to 4.15 and drawing of runs at 6 p.m.

## LADIES' HOCKEY

The following will represent the Andrew Club against the Interport, Dublin on the "Y" Ground this afternoon at 3 p.m. Mr. H. Jones, Miss G. White, Miss H. Stephenson, Miss L. Jorge, Miss J. Wong, Miss B. Bunker, Miss P. Wong, Mrs. N. Lee, Miss P. Collins, Miss J. Gillian and Miss L. Lee.

Highly, a goalkeeper from Woburn Colliery (Notts Alliance), has signed amateur terms for Doncaster Rovers.

"We Never Have Football In China"

## SAYS MISS SALLY SUN OF CANTON

A United Press message from Honkong quotes Miss Sally Sun as observing:

"I have never seen a night football game before. In China we never have football games. The Chinese prefer volleyball, basket ball and such like."

Miss Sally is the daughter of China's Bluetone Ban Yulun, and she is now studying social and civic work at the University of Shantou, preparing for a career in her native land.

By officials and newspapermen who met her upon her arrival, Sally quickly melted into the life of the university, where she is enrolled as a freshman.

## BIOLOGY

The former ping-pong star, her biology books however to indicate in campus activities, Honkong is no strange place to the Ban family. Fifty-six years ago, this pretty Chinese girl's father, destined to be the first president of the Chinese republic, arrived here from Canton, to study at Tientsin school.

In the classroom she was somewhat confused by the volume of written work required, explaining that in Canton most of the assignments were covered orally.

Bally English, which she learned at the True Light school in Canton, is flawless.

ENTERTAINED TO TIFFIN

## Interport Teams At Government House

Members of the Hongkong and Shanghai cricket Interport were entertained to a luncheon party by His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government, Mr. Thomas Southern, and Lady Southern at Government House yesterday afternoon.

Among those present were Mr. H. R. Hancock, President of the Hongkong Cricket Club, Mrs. Hancock, Mr. A. W. Hayward, captain of the Hongkong eleven, and Mrs. Hayward, Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Pearce, Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Baskett, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Stoker, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. P. Williams, His Honour Mr. Justice R. E. Lindell, Mr. D. W. Leach, captain of the Shanghai eleven, Captain Cragg, A. D. C. to His Excellency and others.

A toast to the two teams was proposed by His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government.

THE SHANGHAI TEAM  
D. W. Leach  
E. M. P. Williams  
P. Madar  
G. E. Elliott  
H. E. Madar  
J. B. Leckie  
J. O. Jenkins  
E. H. Kermani  
E. P. Humphreys  
L. E. Stoker  
E. C. Baker (12th Man)  
Captain  
Wicket-keeper

## SIX HOLES IN 18

## WOMEN GOLFERS' GREAT FINISH

(By F. J. C. PIGNON)

London, Oct. 12. Miss Wanda Morgan (Rothesay and Cobham) and Miss Doris Chambers (Wimbledon), present and past British champions respectively, yesterday won the Hambledon foursome tournament at Ranelagh.

These famous players finished a day of mediocre play with one of the most brilliant exhibitions ever seen in women's golf to defeat two sisters, Miss Diana and Miss Lulu Edmunds of North Berwick, by three up and one to play.

Carrying five shots, the champions played soifferently that they won two down at the third hole and all square, having played nine holes, none being 30, six over bogey.

It was in approaching and putting that most of the scoring was made. Miss Chambers, in three putts, of no more than 10 inches, during that nine holes. It was Miss Chambers who eventually won her side on the winning hole by holing a nasty looking, early, downhill putt to win the twelfth hole.

Each of the winners had a share of the honour in this great final. Miss Morgan held a putt from the edge of the sixteenth green, and she hit a magnificent drive which finished three yards past the pin at the 235 yards seventeenth to enable Miss Chambers to hole out to win the match.

The young sisters were unfortunate in a way, for they had the last seven holes of the match in four under par, but Diana had this consolation, her other accomplishment, putting, has been recognized. Before the final began she received a telegram telling her that an oil painting of hers had been accepted for the autumn exhibition.

The semi-finalists were unfortunate in a way, for they had the last seven holes of the match in four under par, but Diana had this consolation, her other accomplishment, putting, has been recognized. Before the final began she received a telegram telling her that an oil painting of hers had been accepted for the autumn exhibition.

In the semi-final the Misses Edmunds and Miss R. V. R. Flory (West-Hyde) and Miss H. J. Jenkins (Royal Whimbrel), who could not match their amateur play near the edge, while Miss Morgan and Miss Chambers had a terrible battle with Miss Hyde, Flory and Miss Flory.

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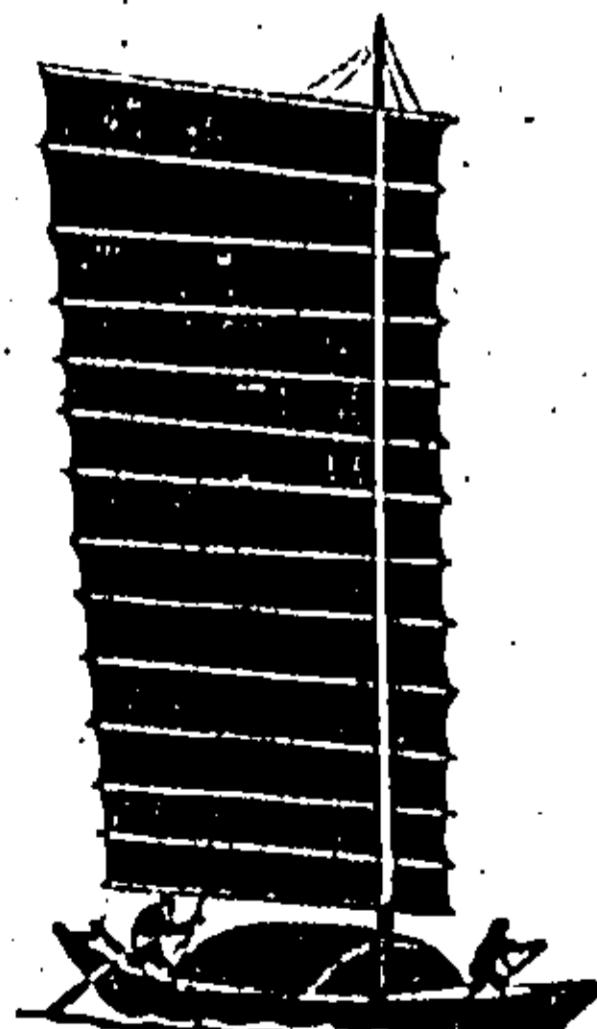
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## SECOND INTERESTING BROADCAST TALK

R. Abbit, the Telegraph's well-known cricket commentator gave the second part of his broadcast talk on Interport Cricket History from ZBW last night which included an interesting survey of Colony cricket personalities. In the course of his talk, R. Abbit said:

I left off yesterday on a very sad note. The tragedy of the Bokhara shook the Colony terribly. It was a great deal smaller in those days and people knew each other rather better. Shanghai too were very much upset and Mr. Hancock has already alluded to the memorial they erected in the Cathedral here. I find also that when the news reached the northern port several festivities connected with sport were cancelled as a mark of respect. For a long time no photograph of the team could be found—for the plate of the group taken in Shanghai had been broken and those cricketers up there who had obtained copies before that were unwilling to part with their souvenirs of their dead opponents. I saw from a photo published recently in the S.C.M.P. that the loss has been repaired, but how I do not know.

Just over five years later the series was renewed, and Shanghai visited Hongkong and on 11th and 12th November 1897, Hongkong won by one wicket. Those dates have become almost regular—occasionally before the war the game came a little later but since the War the match has more or less settled round about Armistice Day. I mention here in parenthesis that in Shanghai after this date were played in September or October until 1911, when they started to be played in May or June. Last year a reversion to the old October date was made. I do not think the change is to the advantage of Hongkong, but admittedly there is much to be said for it when one considers the Shanghai climate. Yet to those who stress this too strongly, I would say that in 1889 when Hongkong visited Shanghai the game began on November 1st after no less than seventeen days had been wasted owing to wet weather. These were indeed spacious and leisurely times, though even so it must have been pretty jumpy when they did get down to cricket!

## SOME EARLY PERSONALITIES

But I seem to have diverged from the 1897 match. Several people who must be well known made their first appearance. Both A. E. and G. V. Lanning turned out from Shanghai while A. G. Ward, one of the H.K.C.C.'s great secretaries, Percy Cox of C.P.O.S., A. S. Anton of Jardine's and Rev. G. R. Valdins first appeared. Anton hit very hard to get 64 and 46—a fine performance. M. D. Wood (whom I cannot trace) got 55 and 42, while Percy Cox won the game by a gallant 38 not out in the second innings. The ninth wicket fell at 180 but he and Hughie Arthur (another debutante) hit off the runs chiefly by fours, and the game was won "among ringing cheers".

In September 1898 Hongkong won their first victory in Shanghai by 28 runs. Lowson was skipper. In 1901 very well known player came into the side—Dick Hancock. His opening score for the Colony was 68. I might mention here that when in the Colony and able to play he remained in the Hongkong side against Shanghai until his last game, in 1929. Twenty eight years of Interport cricket is a pretty good innings and the only case I know which out-does it is that of Tom Pearce who started in 1903 and is playing to-morrow, which makes thirty two years not out.

About this time the teams seemed to make a habit of winning away, as Hongkong won by an innings and 21 in 1903. W. C. D. Turner and Lieut. Lumden both appeared for the first time and put up what I believe still to be the record partnership in these matches—174 runs for the fifth wicket, scoring 88 and 136 respectively. At least, I give what appears to be the stand—it is certainly the minimum figure but the account of the match is very involved and could be read in different ways.

After this fortune swung to and fro. In 1906 V. H. Lanning took 8 for 19 and brought off the first hat-trick of the series of matches. He took 5 for 30 or thirty. And then my old friend,

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CINEMA NEWS

NOTES FROM THE THEATRES

Featuring Ralph Bellamy and Tala Birell, "Air Hawks," a Columbia picture, is showing on Sunday at the Alhambra. Presenting a much-disputed method of destruction, which is likely to be used in future wars, "Air Hawks" shows a death-dealing electric ray which can cause airplanes to burn in mid-air. It is an important-malinating force in the film. Ralph Bellamy is cast as the owner of an airplane line that is competing with another company for lucrative airmail contracts. The rival line is desperate for the contracts, though it is flourishing better than that of Bellamy's. It employs a mad scientist, who has perfected the death-ray, to bring down Bellamy's planes, causing the public and the government to lose faith in Bellamy's line. Lovely Tala Birell is featured as the girl who finds a sincere love for Bellamy in the emotional stress caused by the horrifying incidents. Only the combined courage of both Miss Birell and Ralph Bellamy, is able to thwart the infamous means of destruction. After a series of thrilling incidents, the executioner of the skies is doomed with his infernal machine. Wiley Post, famous flying ace and holder of many world's air records, is featured as himself in making a cross-country stratosphere flight for Bellamy's company. Others in the cast are Victor Kilian, Robert Allen, Billie Seward, Robert Middlemass, Geneva Mitchell, Wyrley Brech, Edward Van Sloan and Albert Rogell directed.

"Wings Over Ethiopia." A stirring and impressive drama that has already had a successful run in Basil, Switzerland and has passed its 8th sensational week at the Rialto Theatre, London. "Wings Over Ethiopia" released by Paramount which opened yesterday to crowded houses at the Queen's Theatre. A timely and authentic film, "Wings Over Ethiopia" is a presentation of absorbing interest, exciting episodes and amazing revelations of a country whose name and leader was on everyone's lips but about which few people knew little actual facts. The first full-length picture revealing the inside of this unusual African kingdom was made

by a small but fearless expedition of three, L. Wechsler, a Swiss, Nerne, a cameraman, and Walter Mittelholzer, noted Swiss pilot, who made the first plane trip to Hihlo Selassie's kingdom by the way of the Sudan and gathered a complete picture of Ethiopia life, customs and country from north to south. Emperor Selassie's colourful personage and powerful ruler of the ancient nation, figures prominently in the film, taking the spotlight in the scenes of Adulis, Ababa, and reveals himself in an exclusive sound recorded interview as a charming, intelligent man, combining rare poise to elegance and understanding. This mighty man is seen welcoming visitors to his country, reviewing his army in full regalia, acting as host in his strongly modern, but ancient palace, where intimate glimpses of his daughters are caught as they stroll through the beautifully tended gardens. Selassie's son also appears in several scenes.

"Hooray for Love."

Three kinds of entertainment radio, night club and musical comedy-highlight the plot of RKO Radio's "Hooray for Love," which features Gene Raymond and Ann Sothern, and will be showing on Sunday at the King's Theatre. In her role of a musical comedy favourite, Ann Sothern broadcasts from a metropolitan radio station, stages a spectacular number in a smart club and sings her way to fame in a Broadway show. In his role of a young college man with an ambition to become a theatrical producer, Gene Raymond presents a four-part revue which includes a beautiful ballet, a hilarious black and tan number and double piano act. A chorus of beautiful girls is used in the "Hooray for Love" finale, pert Kerton, comedienne, returns to the screen after several months of vaudeville, and is seen in a part particularly fitted to her inimitable style. She also sings on the screen for the first time. The picture's song numbers include "You're An Angel," "I'm in Love All Over Again," "Palsy Walky," "I'm Livin' in a Great Big Way," and "Hooray for Love." Others in the cast include Thurston Hall, Georgia Caine, Bill Robinson, world's greatest coloured tap dancer, Jeni LeGon, sepia song, and dance artist, and Maria Gambarelli, internationally famous ballerina.

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## DONNA of the BIG TOP. by BEULAH POYNTER

## CHAPTER XXIV.

While Madeline was trying to summon the courage to pass Trafford and, if possible, to ignore him, Con appeared in the corridor. The former boss evasively stared toward the animal trainer. Madeline saw her husband's slender body stiffen and his dark eyes flash fire.

"What are you doing here?" he demanded.

"I'm waiting to see Madeline. What did you suppose?"

"Then beat it! She's my wife now and she hasn't any time for you."

"Is that so?" Trafford lurched forward until he towered over the smaller man. "Is that so? Well, she had time for me down town today. Didn't she tell you I was coming out here this afternoon? Well, I bet she didn't! Well, I'm sticking around until I see her."

"Get out!" Con's voice had thickened with suppressed passion. "You're a good-for-nothing bum, Madeline!"

"Bum, am I? Huh! So I'm a bum! Well, the little Miss Pussy who's your wife didn't think I was a bum when she pulled around with me. She didn't think I was a bum when she used to kiss me and call me her big red-headed boy!"

Con's iron fist shot out and caught Trafford on the jaw before he could complete the sentence. Madeline screamed and ran forward. Just as the former canvas-man staggered by the unexpected blow, stumbled against the frail walls of the passageway.

"He's lying, Con!" Madeline wailed.

"I wouldn't put it past you," Con rasped, pushing her aside.

Trafford rubbed the blood from his chin and snarled, "Lying, am I? I don't have to lie! Everyone in the circus knows about her and me. Everyone knows she was the crew's sweetheart. She played for you a sucker and only a—"

"You say that again and I'll wipe up the grounds with you!" Con cried. He leaped forward and, with the agility that many times had made it possible for him to avoid death that seemed inescapable, he bore the half-drunk giant to the floor.

"What's the matter? What's going on?" Instantly the runway was thronged with performers in various stages of dress and undress.

"Where Renfroe?" shrieked La Belle Matilde. "Someone separate them. Con will kill him!"

A husky workman jumped forward and tore the animal trainer from Trafford's writhing body. Madeline, shivering and sobbing, huddled against a pole. Trafford stumbled to his feet, muttering maledictions under his breath, and staggered through the crowd and out of the tent.

"What happened?" shrieked one of the women.

"None of your business," Con retorted. He brushed the snowdrift from his coat, his yellow satin and purple velvet, caught his wife by the arm and almost dragged her back to his dressing room.

There he flung her into a chair and faced her, his eyes blazing with disgust and loathing. "A pretty mess!" he cried, pacing the floor. "And the damnable part of it is, it's true!"

"It isn't!" Madeline protested.

"I swear to God it isn't true, Con! I did meet Trafford down town, but that was my fault? I hate him! You know what reason I have to hate him! He was the cause of Donna's falling! He tried to kill me—"

"Yes—because you played fast and loose with him. A canvas man! My God, a star performer mixed up with a canvas man! And I had to soil my hands with his dirty hide! What did he call you, 'the crew's sweetheart'? If I thought there was any truth in that, so help me, I'd take your white throat between my two hands and choke the life out of you!"

"There isn't any truth in it! I swear there isn't! And I never was your sweetheart. Never! He wanted to marry me, but I couldn't help that!" Madeline threw herself on her knees, clinging with both arms to his body. "You've got to believe me, Con! You've got to!"

"Oh, stop the melodrama! I wouldn't believe you on oath. Get up and fix your make-up and your hair. You look a fright."

Hiccuping with sobs, she rose and repaired the damage done to her lips and cheeks. Five minutes later when she entered the arena no one in the audience would have dreamed that the smiling girl in yellow satin trousers and gold embroidered velvet apprised he seemed to be in his usual humour.

Only the fact that the show was far more important than his own feelings prevented Con from venting his temper on his animals as he had done once before. When the act finished with a tremendous burst of applause he seemed to be in his usual humour.

Madeline, however, and the sullen Trafford remembered vividly the scene in the runway. The others who had witnessed it erased it from their minds. Trafford, bitter and defiant, snarled in a cheap speak-easy and vowed vengeance against both Con and Madeline. The girl, smarting under the injustice of her husband's accusations, decided the game of playing wife was not worth the heartaches and the danger. She made up her mind that she would quit the show, send home for money and go back to the farm.

Because the circus grounds were so far from the business district, Con and Madeline ate dinner in the mess tent. During the meal Con had nothing to say, but after he had finished his coffee he turned to her. "How about taking Lucy through her paces to-night?" he asked.

"You mean—without you?"

"Yes. There always has to be a first time, and this is as good as any." "But you know I'm not reliable. You know I'm afraid of her," Madeline answered.

"I don't see why. She obeys you as well as she does me, and the only difference will be in having an audience behind the ropes instead of the gang looking on."

"But I'm nervous—and, not to night, Con!"

"Yes, to-night. Renfroe is gone about that fracas this afternoon and we've got to do something to make him forget it." Con's eyes, always hypnotic, held hers, white-lipped, "This is the way you are going to pay me back for what happened. You want me to jeopardize my life because a drunken scoundrel insulted me. What a husband you turned out to be!"

"If I wanted to pay you back, Con drawled, "I'd find some other way than to have you do an act that's going to put us on velvet on the big time. Come on—let's see what sort of mood Lucy's in and I'll tell her to meet you at the entrance." "No," Madeline protested.

"But she followed him from the mess tent to the animal cages—and because her will melted like wax against his, she stepped into Lucy's cage, spoke to her and even started the coarse brilliant coat on her back."

"Like a kitten," Con chuckled. "When Lucy gave in, she gave in with a vengeance. Take a long walk and make up your mind to knock 'em cold to-night."

"Judas!" Madeline muttered to herself as he kissed her in parting. "He could kiss me and send me to my death. But I won't do it! Renfroe can do all the amazement in the world but I won't enter Lucy's cage to-night. I won't! I won't!"

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"Judas!" Madeline muttered to herself as he kissed her in parting. "He could kiss me and send me to my death. But I won't do it! Renfroe can do all the amazement in the world but I won't enter Lucy's cage to-night. I won't! I won't!"

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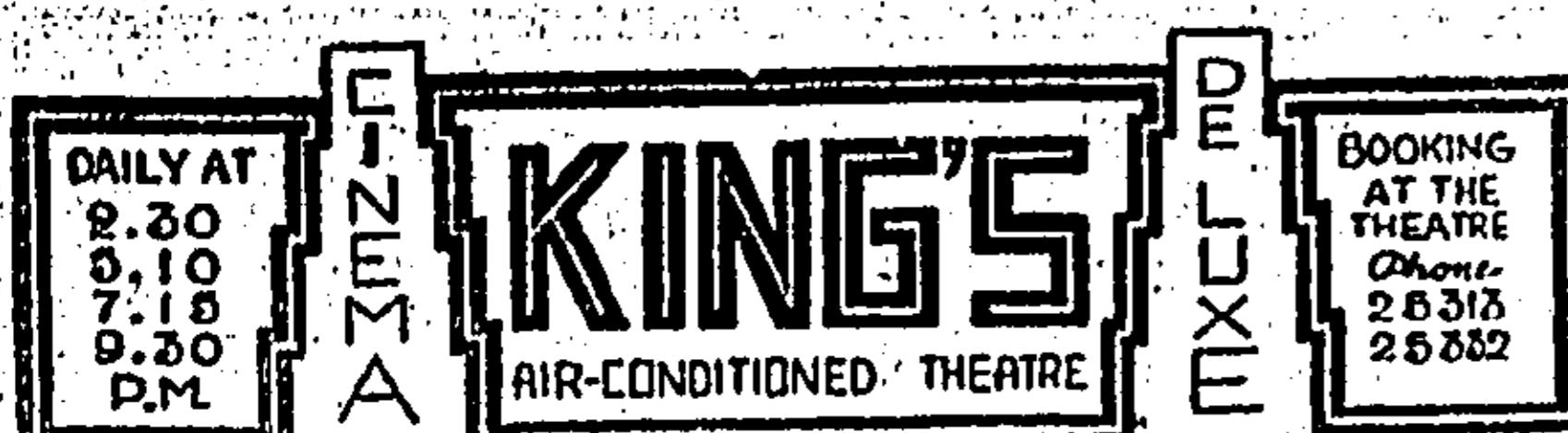
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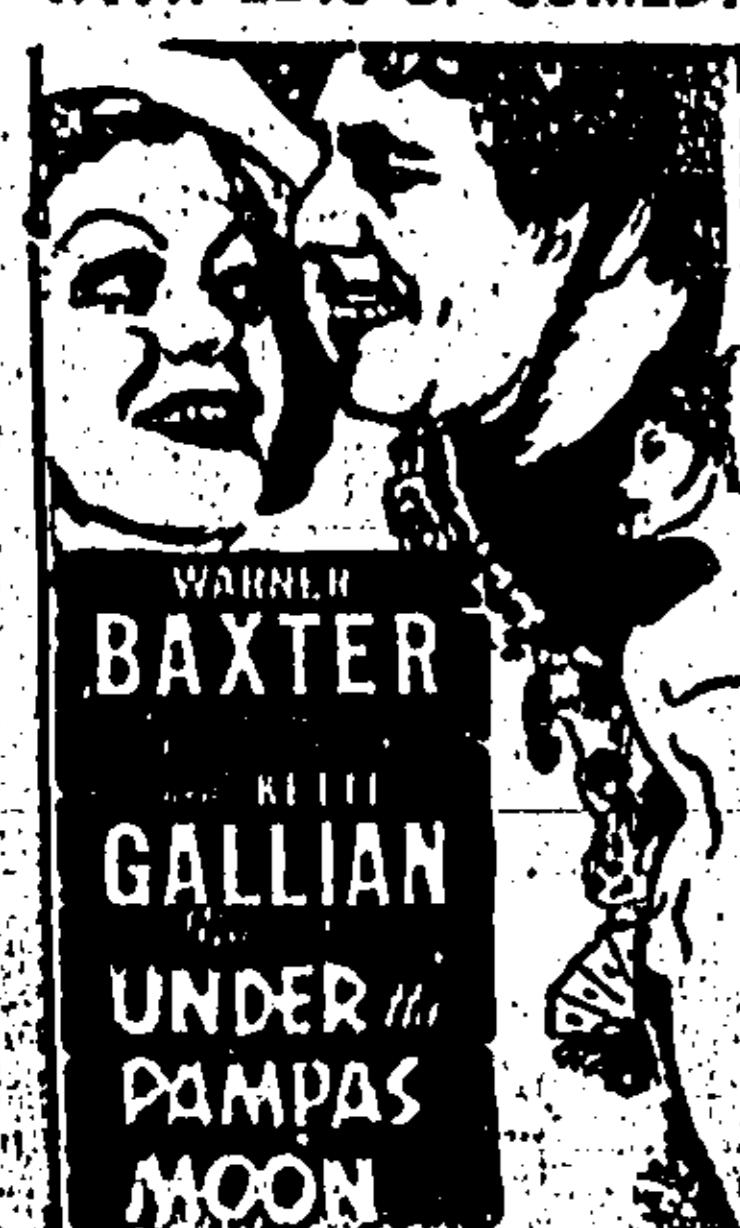
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## SURROUNDING RAS SEYOUN

(Continued from Page 1.) died from wounds received.—Reuter.

### BIG ARMS PURCHASES

London, Nov. 8. It is learned that large orders for ammunition and rifles, machine-guns and other war material, has been placed with a well-known British armaments firm by the Ethiopian Government.

The order is backed by cash, guaranteed from the Emperor's personal fortune, from Menelik's war chest and from voluntary contributions of some 50,000. Mario Theresa thalers from the Ethiopian rasses.

There have been other contributions to the cause. About £500 has been contributed, mostly anonymously, through the Ethiopian Legation in London.

Orders have already been placed in Belgium and Czechoslovakia, the last named country having contracted to supply the Ethiopian armes with field guns. It is understood that some supplies of arms have already arrived from Belgium at Djibouti.—Reuter.

### ADVANCE IN SOUTH

Harrar, Nov. 8. A mass of humanity is pouring into Ogaden in an attempt to stop the Italian advance. In increasing numbers the tribesmen are drifting into Harrar.

The Belgian military expert, Colonel Viger, told the *United Press* that the Ethiopian forces attempting to stop General Graziani's modern Italian army possessed neither organization nor discipline nor military training. Many, he said, were starving because their officers were unable to get them food.

The rains continue in Ogaden and impeding the Italian advance. But the warriors in the Gorrash area are cracking under the strain of the continuous bombardment and lack of food.—*United Press*.

GORRAHAI FALLS

An Exchange Telegraph message says Gorraha has fallen.—*United Press*.

### CONFIRMATION

Rome, Nov. 8. It is officially stated that the important strategic fortress of Gorraha, on the southern front, has been captured by General Graziani's advancing troops.

It is noteworthy that this point dominates all the major caravan routes.

Its capture practically eliminates the chance of effective Ethiopian attacks in the Ogaden region.—*United Press*.

### LOCAL ESTATES

### GRANTS OF PROBATE MADE

Local estate to the value of \$59,800 was left by Mr. William Strachan, late of 30 Tregowall Road, Bournemouth, Hants, who died at the above address on March 16, 1935. An application by Mr. G. G. N. Tinson, solicitor, the lawful attorney, for sealing certified copy of probate of the will was granted.

Mrs. Elizabeth Mackay, late of 47 Grampian Road, Kowloon C.W., who died at Kowloon Hospital on July 8, 1934, left local estate amounting to \$20,100. Probate of the will has been granted to Edwin Louise Rogers, the eldest daughter.

Probate of the will has been granted to Chu Shiu-cheung, the eldest son, in the estate of Mr. Chu Pil-tung, alias Chu Chun, merchant, who left local estate valued at \$68,500. The deceased was formerly of Sun Wai District, Kwangtung and late of 123, Caine Road. He died at the latter address on June 17, 1935.

### BRITISH DEMOCRACY ON TRIAL

(Continued from Page 1.) Party Executive over sanctions, is opposed in a straight fight by the National Labour candidate, Major Church. Sir Stafford Cripps defeated his Conservative opponent at the last election by 429 votes.

Several members of the last Labour Cabinet who were defeated in 1931 are expected to regain their seats. In West Scotland, which was a Labour stronghold before 1931, the Socialist vote will be split by rival candidates of the Official Labour Party and the Independent Labour Party.—*British Wireless*.

In connection with the World Link Peace Movement, Madame Lottie Gordon is to conduct an Armistice song service and will speak on address on world peace and Australia's role in relation with Italy at the Link Rooms, 14 Hart Avenue, Kowloon, on Monday at 6 p.m.

## BRITISH HELP FOR ETHIOPIA

### AMBULANCE SERVICE READY TO SAIL

### OTHERS TO FOLLOW

(Special to "Telegraph")

London, Nov. 8. A fully-equipped unit of the British Ambulance Service for Ethiopia, consisting of four doctors, five orderlies and transport personnel, will sail from London under the auspices of the British Red Cross Society on November 16 by steamer for Berbera.

At Berbera, the unit will be joined by 25 trained African dressers from Kenya and Uganda, and it will then proceed to the Ogaden war zone.

A few days later, the British Red Cross Society will send a small unit of two doctors and transport officers, with medical stores, via Sudan to the northern war zone, which is at present without medical aid.

The second unit is being sent at the express request of the Emperor and will be reinforced later.—*Reuter Special*.

### CASTLE LINER IN COLLISION

### MISHAP IN THE THAMES

London, Nov. 8. The Union Castle 6,592-tonne liner Grancully Castle, outward bound for Mauritius and South Africa, was in collision in the Thames at Gallion's Reach this morning with a 1,988-ton Finnish steamer soon after the liner had left South West India Dock, and had to be put back to King George V Dock.

The vessel was struck amidships and the plates on the port side were damaged. Two hundred passengers were awaiting the arrival of the Grancully Castle at Tilbury, and some of these joined the same Company's Arundel Castle before she sailed from Southampton this afternoon. The others are awaiting the next sailing.—*British Wireless*.

### STRUCK BY BIG STONE

### INQUEST ON CHINESE WOMAN CONTINUED

Mr. A. H. McBride, engineer of the Public Works Department, gave evidence before Mr. Macfadyen at the Central Magistracy yesterday afternoon when the hearing of the inquiry into the death of a woman, Cheung Pat-har, who was apparently killed as a result of a piece of rock from blasting operations on the hillside flying into No. 100 Electric Road, and striking her on September 3, was continued.

The Coroner was assisted by the following jury.—Messrs. L. A. Caleract (Foreman), L. A. da Costa, and R. G. Xavier.

Inspector Stewart Logan was present for the Police.

Mr. O. E. C. Murton, of Messrs. Dencons, appeared on behalf of Yung Chipling, husband of the deceased.

Cheung Man-sen, head foreman of the Sang Lee Contractors, stated that on the day in question he examined the blasts and found that each blast was covered with four wet gunny bags and two steel wire netting frames. Each blast had a stick of dynamite placed at a depth of two feet. Witness did not notice any stone flying to an extreme height.

Witness later heard that a woman had been injured by falling stone during the blasting operations.

Precautions taken on this occasion were even greater than usual, owing to the close proximity of the houses.

Witness had worked with Sang Lee for ten years.

At this stage the hearing was adjourned to November 15 at 2:15 p.m.

### CHINA LOTTERY

### DRAWING MADE IN SHANGHAI

Shanghai, Nov. 8. The Sixteenth China Lottery was drawn here to day.

The first prize which is worth \$250,000 was drawn by ticket No. 111,265. The four second prizes are worth \$50,000 each and were drawn by tickets Nos. 142,301, 188,381, 003,471 and 002,503.—*Reuter*.

The Holy Trinity Church of Kowloon City and the Tung Ping Chau, Hoi, of Bus, held their Bazaar to-day at St. Andrew's Church, Hoi, from 11 a.m. to 8 p.m.

## HOLDING COMPANY STRUGGLE

(Continued from Page 1.) character of which it is necessary to consider.

Stating that the S.E.C. is proceeding normally with the preparation of registrations, Judge Landis indicated that failure to register will cast doubt on the legality of almost every holding company activity thereafter, including future securities offerings and the possible acquisition of mergers.—*Reuter Special*.

### SENATOR'S VIEW

Manila, Nov. 9.

Senator Wheeler, co-author of the Wheeler-Rogers Unemployment Company Act, who arrived here yesterday with the Congressional party, stated last night that he was sure the Baltimore decision would be reversed by the higher Courts.

He declared:—"I haven't seen the text of the decision, but from what is reported here it seems plain that the Baltimore Judge simply doesn't know the law. It looks like a purely political decision."—*Reuter*.

### TENDERS ACCEPTED

### LATEST GOVERNMENT LIST

The Government has accepted the following tenders:

Supply of head stones.—Messrs. Cheung Fook.

European Staff Quarters at the New Gaol.—Messrs. Tak Hing & Co.

Repairs to S. L. "G.P.O." 2.—Messrs. Kwong Cheung Hing.

Purchase of night soil.—Mr. Ling Chung.

Supply of labour for the burial of infectious corpses.—Mr. Taang Pak.

Blood and hair contract, Kennedy Town.—Mr. Hui Shing-kai.

Blood and hair contract, Ma Tau Kok.—Mr. Hui Shing-kai.

Re-numbering old head stones.—Mr. Cheung Fook.

Conservancy contract, Shaukiwan.—Messrs. Au Kwong Ming & Li Wing Hin.

Patent Roofing for new Magistracy, Kowloon.—Messrs. Shewan Tomes & Co.

Supply and laying of black earth and turf at the new Central British School, Kowloon.—Messrs. Hop Hing & Son.

Supply of earthenware urns.—Messrs. Chan Kee.

Repairs to S.T. "S.D." 3.—The Hongkong and Whampoa Dock Co., Ltd.

Air conditioning installation, Queen Mary Hospital.—The Jardeine Engineering Corporation, Ltd. Chinese and Indian Staff Quarters at the New Stanley Gaol.—Messrs. Sang Tai & Co.

### PLEASING CONCERT

### FUNCTION BY ST. PAUL'S GIRLS' COLLEGE

A concert from which the Ministering Children's League and other charities will benefit, was given by the St. Paul's Girls' College at Macdonnell Road last night. The programme was a commendable one, and each of the ten items were enjoyed and given due credit by the audience.

The pupils of the college staged "The Christmas Carol" from Charles Dickens' "Scrooge," which proved a very praiseworthy effort indeed. For this performance credit must be given to Miss Ng Tung-king who played the role of Scrooge, Miss Wong Yeo-hu as Bob Cratchit, and other members of the cast which included Cheung Sau-shan, Yung Lau-chun, Wong Kwoh-hung, Yung Sui-yan, Wong Yeo-lai, Chan Chun-mui, Cheung Koon-lin, Chan Mai-hung, Shum Sau-yeng, Chau Yung-hung and Cheung Kuk-kam.

Another creditable performance was the Chinese play, "A Romance by the West Lake," with Miss Wong Yeo-hu in the role of a poet, Miss Cheung Sau-shan as the poet's brother, Ah San, Miss Ng Kan-chi as the poet's lover and Miss Lee Wei-ching playing the part of an old servant.

Other items

Mrs. J. A. Miller, I.R.A.M., A.R.C.M., delighted with a "Shepherd's Song" while Mr. L. A. J. Lafford, F.R.C.O., A.R.C.M., L.R.C.M., contributed a piano-forte solo which met with warm approval. The Rev. C. B. R. Sargent also entertained with several songs.

Songs were sung at the opening of the concert by the upper classes, and other items included a dance by Wong Yeo-lai, Shum Sau-yeng, Shum Mel-yung and Chang Wan-koon; Chinese music by Mr. Yau Hok-chau; a Gypsy dance by Miss Ellen Ford; and a Chinese song by Mr. Lui Man-sing.

His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government has appointed Mr. Horace Morgan Miller a member of the Pilotage Board of Examiners.

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